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Controversy erupts over Bell action

Phone rates hiked; legality viewed

By Carroll Wilson

Increased basic monthly telephone rates for Canyon were filed Friday with the City of Canyon by Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. officials. City officials indicated a fight may be in the air over the way the telephone company handled the filing.

The new rates go into effect Feb. 27 unless city action postpones the effort.

Mike Patrick, manager here for Southwestern Bell, said the new Canyon rate schedule is a result of the recently-approved rate hike in Amarillo.

City officials say the telephone company has usurped city power to regulate the telephone rates.

The controversy is this: The city has power passed on to it by the state to regulate rates charged by utilities, and has franchise agreements on rates with utilities.

Under standard procedure, a utility, such as the phone company, will seek a rate hike from the city commission before rates are increased.

Friday, however, Southwestern Bell simply filed their new rate increases, apparently believing a 1966 city commission resolution relieves the company from the obligation to seek prior city commission approval.

"The new rates here will maintain a necessary differential between Amarillo and Canyon rates to continue extended area service, or free calling, between the two cities," Patrick said.

"The original agreement which approved extended area service for Canyon and Amarillo provided for the rate differential. The new Amarillo rates will be effective Feb. 27, thus the new Canyon rates will be effective at the same time."

City Manager George Loudder, Mayor Manly Bryan and Attorney Elton Cox expressed surprise and chagrin over the way Southwestern Bell handled the rate hike.

"I'm surprised at a rate request of this nature," Loudder said.

Loudder, Bryan and Cox pointed to city commission action in December of 1966, when the city first approved extended area telephone service between Canyon and Amarillo.

At that time, an ordinance allowing for new increased rates to accomodate the extended area service was passed. A resolution specifying how those rates would go into effect was also passed.

The controversy centers around interpretation of the resolution passed by the city on Dec. 5, 1966.

The resolution reads:

Section 1: The telephone service requirements of the citizens of the City of Canyon may best be satisfied by the extension by Southwestern Bell Telephone Company for the present local calling area to include Amarillo.

Section 2: Southwestern Bell Telephone Company is hereby requested to inaugurate said service plan in the Canyon exchange and thereupon to file its schedule of rates for such service with the City Clerk of Canyon. These rates are to go into effect immediately upon the inauguration of said services. All changes in said schedule of rates pertaining to the furnishing of said service shall be filed with the City Clerk.

Key phrase in the controversy is the last sentence in the second section.

Patrick told The News the resolution wording means the telephone company must in the future only file their new rate schedules to have them become effective.

Loudder and Bryan disagree.

Loudder said he was told by Bell officials that Canyon's rate system is now tied into Amarillo's rate system and that an increase in Amarillo rates will produce a corresponding increase in Canyon rates.

"They stated this is permissable without commission approval based on Section 2 of the resolution passed on Dec. 5, 1966," Loudder said. "The way I read this, the resolution is referring to the rates at that time. I don't see anything about rates being automatically effective upon filing with the city clerk."

"I'm surprised any rate adjustment could be made without city commission participation in determining the rate."

News stories appearing in The Canyon News following the passage of the Dec. 5, 1966 meeting quote Southwestern Bell manager David Dillard as saying rate hikes approved for Amarillo would have no effect on Canyon rates.

Bryan said he does not believe it was the intent of the commission in 1966 to delegate its power of regulating rates to Southwestern Bell.

"They've had no rate increase since 1966 and I feel like some may be justified," Bryan said. "The whole problem is that it is certainly the commission's feeling that we should be able to regulate this increase to some extent.

"With this there is no regulation even possible. I think it by-passes the intent of the commission to regulate utilities."

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The Canyon girl Eagles, hard at work preparing for their regional showdown with Stephenville.

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Girls win regional over Honeybees

Eddie Knowles and his wife, Betty, pause briefly before taking their seats Thursday night after Eddie was honored by the Canyon Chamber of Commerce as Citizen of the Year for 1972. Betty was presented a dozen red roses at the annual chamber banquet in the West Texas State University cafeteria.

Special to The News

SWEETWATER—Canyon's Girl Eagles won their fifth consecutive regional championship Saturday night by drumming Stephenville's Honeybees 79-49 here.

The girls advance to the state finals as defending class AAA Texas champions.

Canyon's team won their opportunity for another fling at the state crown by drawing a bye in bi-district competition after defeating Muleshoe, the only other girl's team in this district, twice last weekend for the district title.

Saturday night's outing was another in a series of almost annual pairings between the Eagles and the 'Bees, who are consistent winners in their AAA district.

Coach Bob Schneider, who has compiled an incredible win-loss record as leader of the girls' basketball program in Canyon, told news media he was pleased with the Saturday victory but advised that his team still lacks polish.

Schneider said the girls failed to make some key adjustments which will be absolutely essential in the state playoffs next weekend in Austin.

He cited a failure to adjust to strict officiating as an example.

Sheryl Gunter and Kim Killingsworth led the Eagles in their victory in the outing.

Gunter rallied on the boards in the initial half as did Killingsworth, but when the scoring was over, it was Gunter in the lead in the scoring department with field goals totalling 10 while Killingsworth had 9.

Gunter totalled 25 total points compared to 24 tallied by Killingsworth.

SIX YEAR SUCCESS STORY

1968—Eagles win district but lose regional
1969—Eagles win state
1970—Runners-up in state tournament
1971—Runners-up in state tournament
1972—State champions
1973—Eagles win regional — on to state

The game began with the Eagles showing a dominant edge to an extent, an edge which really became visible during the second quarter of action.

At the close of the initial stanza, the Eagles led by only a 6-point advantage, but by the half, they had increased their margin to 47-24.

Again in the third quarter, the smaller Canyon team took up the fight and repeatedly went inside for the close shots which made the difference.

During the third period, the Eagles began running into foul trouble as Lynn Davis, Susan Hull and Carla Ratliff all went out of the contest on fouls.

The victory Saturday gives the Eagles a 29-5 season record and left Stephenville with a 22-6 mark.

Leading scorers for the Honeybees were Denise Tack with 28 points, and Pam Brown with 10.

Scoring for Canyon were Gunter with 25, Killingsworth with 24, Alisha Nelson with 14 and Mendy Sternenberg with 12.

The Eagles won their first district title under current coach Schneider in 1968. They lost that year in the regional playoffs.

In 1969, the Eagles went to the state finals and emerged victorious as AAA champions.

Again in 1970, the team went to the state tournament only to lose in the final rounds. A repeat performance was turned in in 1971.

Last year, the girls broke into the finals and won the state championship.

Eddie Knowles is citizen of year

Used car dealer Eddie Knowles was named Citizen of the Year for 1972 at the annual Chamber of Commerce banquet Thursday night here.

Knowles, who has served two terms as president of the chamber and five years as a director, was selected for the honor by directors of the chamber.

"Recognition is very much past due for this man," Director David West told the audience of 400 Thursday. "When someone believes in something as much as Eddie Knowles believes in Canyon, you must call him citizen of the year."

Knowles was presented a large plaque by the chamber and his wife, Betty, who accompanied him to the podium, was presented a dozen red roses.

Knowles came to Canyon in 1959 from Plainview, where he had owned and operated a restaurant and used car business.

Arriving in Canyon, he put in a new bowling alley. Later, he turned to the used car business, which he now operates on 23rd Street.

Knowles' first involvement with the chamber of commerce came in the late 1960s, when he was appointed to an unexpired term on the board.

"I was new in the car business here at that time and any time you put in a new business you're huffing and puffing to get it off the ground," he said. "It seemed to me like the people and merchants in the town were pulling against each other. They weren't pulling together.

"So, I got interested in the chamber and thought I'd see if I could help."

Over the years as a director and then as president, Knowles says he saw the town awaken to the importance of working together to promote Canyon.

Other directors of the chamber credit Knowles with providing the leadership to cause the awakening.

"We were sleeping and we just woke up," he said. "I don't think it was me. We had some new young blood in there."

Knowles admits he put in long hours and traveled hundreds of miles working for the Chamber of Commerce.

He was on the committee, for example, which obtained right-of-way for a scenic road around Palo Duro Canyon State Park.

His real activity on the chamber began when Knowles was elected president of the board three years ago.

It was through his efforts that a women's division of the chamber was formed.

It was through his efforts also that the now annual Canyon Days Celebration was revived in mid-summer.

It was through his efforts that flags were purchased and raised on city thoroughfares to tell visitors and residents about the musical-drama "TEXAS," which plays every summer in Palo Duro Canyon.

It was through his efforts that merchants in Canyon began putting up Christmas lights during the Yuletide season.

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Pot trials suspended pending new legislation

No persons charged with possession of marijuana in Randall County will be taken to trial in the near future, Dist. Atty. George Dowlen announced Friday.

"We will continue to take cases and process them through the grand jury," he said. "But, until the legislature gives us something definite to go on for the next two years, we will not take any more possession cases to trial."

Dowlen, dismayed by a plethora of bills introduced concerning drug legislation in the Texas house and Senate, said the legislature could decide to make possession of marijuana a misdemeanor. Currently, the charge is a felony offense.

"There are two bills before the Legislature right now which would commute felony convictions for possession to misdemeanor convictions automatically and retroactively," he said. "That would release from the penitentiary anyone now in the penitentiary convicted of possession of marijuana."

Dowlen said he expects the Legislature to pass a Gov. Dolph Briscoe backed bill to have possession of marijuana labeled a major misdemeanor punishable by a year in prison and a $3000 fine.

He said there is some support to have the bill effective retroactively.

He explained the bill as presented to the Legislature:

"There would be a presumption that a person had marijuana for sale and this would still be a felony if he has over a certain amount in his possession," Dowlen said. "Now, we don't know what that amount might be, but it varies in different bills from four ounces in one bill to a pound in another bill."

Dowlen said the current limbo

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Depository move legality asked of attorney general

A Randall County commissioner has asked that an attorney general opinion be sought concerning the legality of naming a bank outside the county as county depository.

Randall County Dist. Atty. George Dowlen said Friday he was asked by Bill Butler to seek an attorney general opinion on two things: whether a bid submitted commissioners last Monday is legal, and whether commissioners may reject the two bids they received last week and re-advertise to banks outside the county.

Canyon First National Bank and West Texas State Bank submitted bids last week to become county depository for the next two years. But, commissioners were not satisfied with the bids.

First National Bank bid an interest rate on time deposits equal to rates paid on U.S. treasury notes. West Texas State Bank bid a flat 4 per cent interest rate on time deposits. The West Texas bid failed to include a cash bond.

Commissioners expressed verbal dismay at the bids when they were opened last week and discussed the possibility of rejecting both bids and re-advertising for a depository with banks outside the county.

County Judge Woody Pond said Friday he believes advertising for bids from other banks outside the county would be illegal.

Pond cited one statute which says if no bank or no suitable bank is available to bid on depository bids within a county, then commissioners may go to adjoining counties to seek bids.

He noted however, that First National Bank and West Texas State Bank probably would be defined as suitable banks.

He said the law states that the bids must be accompanied by a bond.

"West Texas State Bank's wasn't a legal bid because they didn't have a check," Pond said.

The judge said commissioners have at least 60 days to determine where to deposit their money.

He noted state law requires the current depository, First National Bank, to hold the county's money 60 days after their contract with the county runs out.

"I contend, according to law, that if you have a suitable bank in your county, then you have to name one of the banks in your county as depository," he said.

Commissioners asked First National vice president David West why his bank bid an interest rate equal to that paid on U.S. Treasury notes during their meeting last week.

West said because county money must be covered by securities it has been difficult in the past for banks to break even

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Schools, banks closed Monday

Schools in the Canyon Independent School District will be closed Monday to allow teachers to meet for in-service work.

Banks in Canyon will also be closed in observation of President's Day.

Classes at West Texas State University will proceed as usual Monday and officials of Randall County and City of Canyon report their offices will be open Monday.

Classes in Canyon schools and the banks are expected to resume hours as usual.

Changes due in sports, ABC sportscaster says

Changes must be made to save sports from the politics and profiteering which have the potential of severely damaging sport in the world, a nationally-famous commentator told 400 persons at the Canyon Chamber of Commerce banquet Thursday night.

Keith Jackson, who characterized himself as an observer rather than as a fan, outlined what he sees wrong in the sports world today and called on the American people to raise their voices for change.

Jackson, who reports sporting events for ABC Television Network, built his speech around the premise that within sports is the very basis of America.

"Competition drips down into the smallest, subtlest things of life," he said. "Add the factor of endurance and you have this country."

The basic ingredient of sports and the basic ingredient of America is competition, he said, and partially because of this every athletic event is like a microcosm of this country.

This competitive spirit is the motivation which spurs athletes to win.

"Competitive sport is as old as the first man and the first animal," he said. "What's new about sport and disturbing to me is what man is doing to it now."

Jackson expressed dismay at the organized and regimented sports for children, who are outfitted, guided by adults and play in chrome and wooden surroundings.

"There's no room for improvisation," he said. "There's little room for a kid to be a kid and that's too bad."

On another level, Jackson said money and the quest for money has driven the real sportsman out of sport.

In illustration, Jackson

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Raymond Raillard, president of the Chamber of Commerce, left, and Keith Jackson, ABC television sportscaster, look over the branding iron the chamber presented Jackson Thursday night during the annual banquet. Jackson was guest speaker, and told the audience he will return half his fee to the chamber for use as a scholarship to an area student.

Our World

Ten Commandments Are Way To Solve Problems

By ANN BROWN

"Is there a master plot to terrorize the United States?" Paul Harvey asked in a recent column.

In the same paper, Jeffrey Hart decried the fragmentation of society promoted, if not actually instigated, by the Supreme Court. He pointed out that when the majority vote for a change, the minority will likely support it also.

But when drastic social changes such as busing, abortion, and banishing God from our schools are forced on more than 2 million people (sometimes by a 5-4 vote of the Supreme Court), it generates a "spiritual withdrawal from the larger American society, an 'inner emigration.'"

Dissenters will be, said Hart, "less inclined to participate in public life, less concerned over the ultimate fate of the country, less eager to advance the well-being of the nation."

When tax-supported public clinics start performing mass abortions, asked Hart, how are we who consider abortion the cruelist kind of murder going to feel about paying taxes?

Louisiana's attorney general, William Guste, has been quoted as saying he is convinced "there is an underground nationwide suicidal organization of terror, the purpose of which is to foment dissatisfaction, to bring race against race, black against white, young against old, thus to create internal national chaos."

Atty. Gen. Richard Kleindienst promised Guste he would employ "the full force of the Department of Justice to determine whether there is such a national group."

Kleindienst may spend millions of our money without learning what any Bible adherent could tell him for free.

Our constitutional government has achieved phenomenal success because of its distribution of powers. When the people made the rules, they felt obliged to abide by them.

Now that the Supreme Court has become an oligarchy, citizens who obey its mandates probably do so more out of constraint than of any sense of loyalty. And the fires of devotion that once burned so brightly in America have been reduced to flickering embers at best.

Many statesmen contend that the Supreme Court has done more to divide and destroy our nation since F. D. Roosevelt packed it with liberals in 1933 than have all the criminal elements combined.

But why? Why should 9 learned men who have been honored with the most powerful positions in the land want to destroy us?

The answer is found in I Peter 5:8, Job 1:6-7, and Gen. 3:1-15. Why did the serpent want to destroy Adam and Eve's paradise? It caused him more trouble than it did them.

It's the old, old story: The snake was duped by Satan.

Probably the most bitter opponent of the Supreme Court's radical decisions would not accuse those august men of deliberately plotting to destroy the nation. After all, they have as much to lose as any of the rest of us.

It is no longer popular to believe in the existence of Satan. Many professing Christians who piously repeat the model prayer ". . . lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. . ." deny the person and power of the devil.

Denying the existence of Satan is not likely to effect his reality. When the medical profession of the 19th century refused to accept Joseph Lister's discovery of microbes, it did not eliminate microscopic life.

Whether or not there is an organized relationship between the murders that have become epidemic at home and abroad, they are leaving in their wake a wave of terror. And the impersonal slaughter follows a deadly pattern that indicates a common origin.

When the experts in criminal, psychogenic, and social behaviors have done their best to analyze the crime wave that has engulfed the nation, perhaps they will recommend we go back to enforcing the rules God gave man to live by.

Does anyone question man's obedience to the 10 Commandments would automatically stifle Satan, still the wave of terror, and solve social problems?

Letters To The Editor

Dear Editor Troy, Carroll Wilson, Jim Sands, et al:

I have just read the "Special Chamber Edition" of the CANYON NEWS of February 15th, and am delighted.

I am not only appreciative of your efforts in researching the material used, and greatly pleased with the finished product, but think this supplement will do much to provide a greater exposure, understanding, and goodwill for the Canyon Chamber of Commerce.

As president, and on behalf of the chamber, let me express our sincere appreciation for your thoughtful and timely presentation.

Sincerely,
Raymond Raillard,
President

Dear Mr. Martin:

I would like to express my appreciation (belated perhaps) for the article which appeared in The Canyon Sunday News on February 4, 1973 regarding the completion of the College School Self-Studies.

These College School studies indeed form one important part of the over-all University Self-Study. The news article was useful in informing the public of the progress of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Self-Study.

Sincerely yours,
Ronald G. Huffstutler, Director
SACS Self-Study Program

EDITORIALS AND *Editorial Features*

City Desk

Just Fair Play For All Officials

By CARROLL WILSON

Mrs. Ruth Hill wants to avoid controversy, but she wants to be treated fairly.

Mrs. Hill, re-elected county treasurer here in election after election for years, went to county commissioners last year and she returned again just two weeks ago seeking the aid of a part-time worker for her office.

She was not allowed to hire another employee last year and this year, commissioners are playing a kind of cat-and-mouse game with Mrs. Hill, apparently before they tell her again she can't have any help.

The real issue involved in Mrs. Hill's plight is not whether the commissioners should give her help simply because she asks for it.

The issue is the teasing way they are treating her because she asked.

Mrs. Hill says adamantly that she needs help to do her job properly. She says since 1958 she's had help on a part-time basis. Last year and the first few weeks of this year she paid a part-time helper out of her own pocket to work in her office.

Let's contrast Mrs. Hill's request with similar requests from Mrs. Audrey Bruse, tax assessor-collector, whose office domain has grown so much in recent years that some officials joke about issuing shoulder and hip pads to her employees so they won't get bruised when they bump into each other.

Mrs. Bruse's requests for more part-time help receive only perfunctory notice from commissioners, who invariably give Mrs. Bruse what she wants.

They do not require Mrs. Bruse to keep a daily log of her activities to prove with empiracal evidence that she needs extra help. They simply take her word for it.

Is Mrs. Bruse's word more to be trusted than Mrs. Hill's? I doubt it. Yet, Mrs. Hill's word seems to hold little weight with commissioners.

If Mrs. Hill is the people's choice to do her job, and if she says she needs a part-time helper to aid her, it's up to county commissioners to reach into their half a million dollar surplus and come up with the few dollars a month Mrs. Hill's extra helper might cost.

The Ruth Hill case reflects the strange myopia which afflicts several of the county commissioners. They spend literally hours poring over cost reports on small and inexpensive items, while giving apparently cursory reflection to large and highly expensive items.

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John Eder, the recruiting man out at West Texas State University, came up with a little poster which he's spread on high school bulletin boards across the Panhandle. The poster has on it a handful of orange cards which can be filled out and returned to WTSU if the high school student wants to know about scholarships, financial aids or other programs at WTSU.

Just to see what would happen, I filled out one of the cards using a fictitious name—Joseph Hoyle—and listed my home address on the card.

I asked for information about all kinds of financial aids and scholarships.

That was a little over a week ago.

Early last week, I received a bulky envelope from Clifford Baker, director of student financial aids at WTSU. The letter appears to be a personal correspondence and the signature is even real. I mean Baker obviously signed it personally.

The letter is warm and to the point. Enclosed with the letter are several information sheets and application forms, which might be entitled "Everything You Wanted To Know about Financial Aids, but Were Afraid To Ask."

Then, about two days later, I received a letter from Jack Edmondson, chairman of the WTSU scholarship committee. This letter, too, is very nice and to the point. And, it is actually signed by Edmondson.

Enclosed with it is a scholarship application.

Frankly, I'm glad to see this kind of response to student questions, even if those questions are only stated on a 3x5 orange card.

I'll bet high school students looking for help from Texas Tech or the University of Texas wouldn't receive personal letters from administrators so quickly after inquiring.

New Lexington Motel To Hold Open House

The Lexington Apartments and Motor Inn, which has been open for about two weeks, will host an informal open house Sunday.

Located at U.S. 60 and 15th Street, the ultra-modern complex's management invites Canyon and area residents to visit and inspect their facilities at any time during the day.

Opening of the unique hostelry, which offers both overnight and permanent occupancy, was delayed by about one year by a destructive fire that swept through it in March of last year.

Welcoming visitors Sunday will be resident managers Mr. and Mrs. Edward Graves; general manager Harper Lincicum; and a representative of the owning family, Zolon Wilkins, Jr.

The apartment-motel facility uses the advertising slogan, "A day or a lifetime," as do the other nine similar complexes located throughout the state.

Other Lexington facilities are located in Grand Prairie, Euless, Irving, Arlington, Hurst, Denison, Lubbock, Austin and Paris.

Like the others, the Canyon complex offers a heated swimming pool, wall-to-wall carpeting, large walk-in closets, television, and combination tubs and showers.

In Canyon, the brick-veneer buildings surround the pool with 64 large one-bedroom units and eight efficiency units. All have kitchenettes and the one-bedroom units provide a separate living room.

Wilkins, a representative of the Irving based family-owned company which built and operates the chain, said, "It is a unique concept in apartment-motel living, having apartment and motel living in the same location."

According to Wilkins, Canyon was selected as a company site because of "a need created for a modern apartment and motel facility" in the area. He said he felt that West Texas State University and Palo Duro State Park were prime reasons for that need.

"We are glad to be located in Canyon and to be a part of the city. We want to grow with Canyon," said Wilkins. He added that it was unfortunate that the opening had been delayed by fire. "We did regret not being able to open as scheduled." he added.

News Brief

The February Prayer Breakfast for men of the First United Methodist Church will be at 6:30 a.m. Tuesday in the church fellowship hall.

Dr. Robert Burton, professor of geology at West Texas State University, will be speaker. Dr. Dudley Moore will be song leader.

In charge of breakfast preparation are Dr. Raymond Hinders and Austin Bowes.

Dr. Dudley Moore, president of the Canyon School Board; Jerry Jacobs, superintendent of Canyon schools; and Bobby Byrd, Worshipful Advisor of Canyon Masonic Lodge, watched last week as Mayor J. Manly Bryan signs a proclamation designating the period of Mar. 5-9 as Texas Public Schools Week. During that week, citizens will be invited to visit and inspect the various schools.

Siftin' With Sands

Lip Slips Like Misplaced Type

By JIM SANDS

There probably is no profession in which the chance to make mistakes occurs so often as in the news reporting business. With reams of copy to turn out between editions and little time to do it, mistakes do crop up from time to time.

But, if you are one of those who think newspapers have cornered the mistake market, you probably were not watching television last weekend during the local newscasts.

On one station, the viewer was informed that "Baylor University would perform abortions up to the 12-month stage of pregnancy."

On the same station, it was reported that an oil tank explosion had occured on "Stanton Island" in New York.

And on another station, it was said that a local auto crash "had claimed the life of one person and killed two others."

Of course the spoken word of newscasts doesn't stay around to haunt the reporter as long as the written word of the newspaper does.

In fact, the newscaster on the tube can often get away with claiming that he was misunderstood, or fell victim to an electronic blurb at that precise moment.

No so in the newspaper world, where an irate person who was misquoted can run in through the door with a clipping in his hand.

That's why its nice to not make misteaks.

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And while on the subject of TV goofs, an informed source in our backshop tells about one weatherman putting the Atlantic Ocean alongside the California coast this week. They may not be able to do much about the weather but it would appear that at least one has moved a large hunk of real estate . . . or ocean.

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While thinking of wording, I was reminded of the laughs that used to come from reading police reports while covering the cop shop.

One that I remember read, "a red striped woman's purse." Another was, "The driver of the car claimed that the red light was green when he entered the intersection."

And for sheer fun, you should have read the reports made after a dispatcher sent a wrecker to pick up a dead cat . . . and an animal control truck to haul in a smashed up car.

Said the patrolman at the scene of the cat, "It sure is a mighty big wrecker for such a little bitty cat."

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I've also drummed up a new word. **Counter-evolution** . . . means making monkeys out of men.

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What do you get when you mix purple and white? If it happens to be the two freshman boys basketball teams at Canyon Junior High, says one mother who witnessed their close game this week, "You get nerve-wracked."

Hospital Board To Meet Monday

Board members of the South Randall County Hospital District will meet at 8 p.m. Monday at the Yum Yum Tree Restaurant here.

Administrator Ray Grimes said discussion will center around obtaining a rating for bonds.

D.A. Cites Opposition To Judicial Reform

Dist. Atty. George Dowlen returned from a three-day stay in Austin last week and said the state District and County Attorney Association unanimously opposes a proposed amendment which calls for reform of the Texas judiciary.

"We think it would be very harmful to the jurisprudence of the state," he said.

A bill has been introduced in the state House calling for amendment of Article 5 of the constitution. The bill is based on a recommendation from the state supreme court chief justice.

Dowlen said hearings are now being conducted on the amendment bill.

Randall County officials went on record early last fall in opposing the judicial reform package, which would make the offices of sheriff, county and district clerk appointive rather than elective. The bill would also do away with the office of justice of the peace.

Dowlen said it was officially announced during his stay in Austin that Atty. Gen. John Hill will establish six regional offices around the state to help law enforcement agencies. The office in this area is in Lubbock.

The district attorney said another bill which he opposes is one which would allow the chief justice of the state supreme court to call a state-wide grand jury.

"I don't know why they'd want one," he said. "I don't know where they'd get the people to serve."

Dowlen said a bill has also been introduced on the admissability of oral confessions in trials.

A bill which has caused a split at least in the district and county attorney association is one which would allow wire tapping, he said.

"Those for are from the major urban areas like Dallas, Houston, and San Antonio and those from the more sparsely populated areas are violently against or have very serious reservations about it," he said. "From the Senators and Representatives I talked with I don't think it has much of a chance of passing."

First Grade Age Children To Be Counted

The Canyon Independent School District this week will begin a census-like survey to determine the names and ages of all children who will be attending either Rex Reeves or Gene Howe schools next year.

Mrs. Vondean McGregor of the school system said census forms will be sent home with students on Wednesday. "If you do not receive a census form, call your school . . . either Rex Reeves or Gene Howe," said Mrs. McGregor.

Auditions Set For Stipends

Auditions for Ford Foundation scholarships to the summer session of the San Francisco Ballet School will be conducted Tuesday at West Texas State University.

Harold F. Christensen, director of the San Francisco Ballet School, will see students aged 12-14 at 4 p.m., and students aged 15-17 at 5:30 p.m. in room 202 of the Activities Center.

Candidates are requested to bring rehearsal clothes and a photograph to the auditions. Applicants should also have had some prior training, a spokesman said.

The San Francisco Ballet School is the official school of the San Francisco Ballet, which opens its 1973 spring season in June.

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"Oklahoma!" Coming To CHS This Week

Kelly Forehand, as Jud, Carol Robinson, as Aunt Eller, and Vern Dewees, as Ali, polishing up their lines for "Oklahoma." The musical was one of the most popular ever presented in this country and grossed more than $7 million while running for five years and nine weeks on Broadway.

"Oklahoma!," a musical romance set in the Western Indian Country at the turn of the century, will be presented at Canyon High School Thursday, Friday and Saturday at 8:00 p.m. in the Canyon High School Auditorium. The musical is based on the play "Green Grow the Lilacs" by Lynn Riggs. The musical adaption is by Rogers and Hammerstein.

The local presentation is by the Fine Arts Department of the School.

It was written in 1942, and was the first musical colaboration of the famous writing team Rogers and Hammerstein. Original choreography was by Agnes De Mille, and "Oklahoma!" was the first American musical containing American Ballet.

Hammerstein's script faithfully follows that of Lynn Riggs by emphasizing the love triangle of Laurey, Curly and Jud Fry.

A subsidiary love triangle involves Ado Annie, a girl who can't say "No," an Oriental peddler, Ali Hakim and Will Parker. This love interest introduces comedy into an otherwise grim story.

There are thirteen principle musical numbers in the score. These include Curly's "Oh What a Beautiful Mornin' "; the love duet of Curly and Laurey, "People Will Say We're In Love;" Ado Annie's amusing confessions, "I Can't Say No" and "All 'Er Nothin'."

Jud Fry's two principle numbers, each revealing parts of his complex personality, are "Pore Jud" (a duet with Curly) and "Lonely Room."

Other numbers have a distinct folk-song personality. "The Surrey with the Fringe on Top," "Kansas City," "The Farmer and the Cowman," and the title song. Six of these make up the music for the "Dream Ballet" dance sequence.

Although at the time of its opening, all the odds seemed to be against its being a success, "Oklahoma!" triumphed. Its Broadway run of five years and nine weeks was the longest of any musical production, and its gross of $7 million broke all known box-office records up to that time. "Oklahoma!" has been described as "beautiful . . . delightful . . . fresh . . . and imaginative."

CHS Musicals are annual all-school productions produced through the combined efforts of the Music, Drama and Art Departments.

Musical direction is by choir director Tom Jennings; stage direction is by speech and drama instructor Charles Wright; and set decorations are by Mrs. Charlotte Brantley and her art classes.

Other directors are:

Orchestra preparation, J. W. King; choreography, Neil Hess; hospitality and tickets, Carroll Killingsworth; student director, Mike Alsup; stage manager, Dan McGlasson; and asst. stage manager, David Barrett.

The cast includes:

Aunt Eller, Carol Robinson; Curly, Mike Demus; Laurey, Lauran Fulton; Ike Skidmore, Phil Davis; Fred, Jamey Gallemore; Slim, Paul Hensley; Will Parker, Gary Cox; Jud Fry, Kelly Forehand; Ado Annie, Julie Whittington; Ali Hakim, Vern DeWees; Gertie Cummings, Julie Brantley.

Ellen, Kaysee Martin; Kate, Peggy Adams; Sylvie, Teresa Moore; Armina, Karma Denton; Aggie, Radell Bayless; Andrew Carnes, John Boone; Cord Elam, Glen Holcomb; Jess, Steve McDaniels; Chalmers, Mitch Shadix; Joe, Richard Smyrl; and Sam, Brad Phillips.

Farmer's and Rancher's Wives are:

Lois Kelln, Teresa Engler, Georgia Branstetter, Virginia Branstetter, Brenda Oliver, Elaine Ramaekers, Kim Tully, Nancy Duncan, Jo Anna Seagle, Diana Davis, Lee Ann Fletcher.

Dancers are Julie Brantley — soloist, Sherry Ford, Brenda Brooks, Carla Dwyer, Nancy Winn, Mendi Hicks, Melissa Wright, Jamey Gallemore, Richard Smyrl.

Kathy Daniels, Lynn Williams, Mike Hughes, Paul Hensley, Mitch Shadix, Steve McDaniels, Carol Coleman, Mark Collier.

Other Farmers and Ranchers are Cole Lippold, Ronnie Williams, Russel Killingsworth, Mark Handly, Kevin Raef, Dennis Goettsch.

For ticket arrangements, call 655-2168.

Ranger Medal To Go On Sale

Canyon's two banks will begin selling Tuesday the official commemorative medal of the 150th birthday of the Texas Rangers.

Proceeds from sale of the medal will fund operating costs of a Texas Ranger Hall of Fame scheduled for completion in the fall at Waco.

Obverse of the medal bears the portrait of Ranger Capt. Leander H. McNelly from an original painting by Joe Ruiz Grandee which hangs in the White House. The reverse shows the Lone Star of Texas as it appears on the seal of state.

The commemorative medals may be obtained in bronze for $1 or in .999 fine silver for $10.

Financial Stability Seen For 'TEXAS' Production

The annual musical-drama "TEXAS" had a banner year in 1972 and will start the 1973 summer season with financial stability, members of the Panhandle Heritage Foundation were told Wednesday.

President Joe Gidden, re-elected to his post during the annual meeting here Wednesday, said in the past the production has been forced to borrow $50,000 to start the season. This year that won't be necessary.

The "TEXAS" production played to a record 82,248 persons last summer and revenue was up substantially over previous years.

Average attendance at the musical was 1444, or 91 per cent of capacity.

Show manager Raymond Raillard told the foundation members that "TEXAS" will be included in a display which will be seen in nine major cities throughout the country this year.

He announced that G. Harvey will be artist for the 1973 souvenir program. Harvey was artist for the program in 1967.

Raillard presented figures indicating that the trend in audience origin at "TEXAS" is shifting to cover a state-wide area. In 1966, for example, 27 per cent of those viewing the production were from outside a 100-mile radius of Canyon. Last summer, that figure rose to 38 per cent.

Outside of Texas, the state with the most persons attending was Oklahoma, consistent leader in that category since 1966.

Dr. James P. Cornette, president of West Texas State University, and Dr. John Green, dean of the WTSU school of fine arts, spoke briefly about the connections between the university and the "TEXAS" production.

Cornette thanked members of the Heritage Foundation for their efforts in helping to obtain recently a $250,000 grant from the Moody Foundation of Galveston for construction of a fine arts complex on campus.

During elections Wednesday, F.V. Wallace of Amarillo was re-elected second vice-president, Mrs. Ralph Randel of Panhandle was re-elected secretary and Robert Hayes of Amarillo was elected director-at-large.

Other members of the executive board are Russell Carver of Amarillo, first vice president, Aven Lair, Canyon, third vice president, Jerry N. LaGrone, Canyon, treasurer, and L.P. Gilvin, Amarillo and Wales Madden, Amarillo, directors-at-large.

West Texas State Bank Marks Anniversary

West Texas State Bank, the second banking facility to be chartered in Canyon, marks its sixth anniversary today.

The financial institution opened its doors for business on Feb. 18, 1967 at 400 15th St., and eight months later moved into a new building at 1700 4th Ave., its present location.

David Levens, president and one of the original organizers, said the bank had grown at a rate greater than predicted in their charter application. The application estimate had been that the bank's deposits would reach about $3½ million by the end of the fifth year. At the end of that time, last year, deposits had grown to more than $5 million.

When opened in 1967, deposits stood at only $982,000. They presently total about $6½ million, Levens said. He added that their original estimate had been "conservative."

According to the bank president, the facility was begun because of confidence in the future of Canyon and the area. This week, Levens said that this predicted growth had been evidenced by the success and growth of West Texas State Bank.

"When we opened in 1967, deposits in both Canyon banks totaled $12 million. Now they total $32 million," Levens said of the growth of both banking institutions. "This shows a definite need for the bank we've not taken away from the first bank," he added.

When the bank first opened, it consisted of three officers and three employees. Now there are still three officers but the employee ranks have grown to ten.

In addition to Levens, the officers include vice president Alden C. Mann, and vice president and cashier Cordell Huddleston.

The current board of directors includes Chairman Grady Hazlewood, Dr. J. Manly Bryan, Clay Cooper, H. R. Fulton, Levens, Huddleston, J. M. White and Mann, who serves the board as an advisor.

Levens, a native of Roby, attended high school there and later attended Texas Tech and McMurray College. He then joined a bank in his hometown.

After helping organize the Plains State Bank, Levens moved to Roswell, N.M., where he became an officer with Security National Bank.

While in Roswell, he received his degree from Louisiana State University's School of Banking.

In 1965, Levens began working on the formation of the new bank in Canyon and in 1966, while awaiting approval of the charter, he joined the First State Bank of Midland.

The next year, 1967, he returned to Canyon and opened West Texas State Bank.

Huddleston, formerly associated with Plains State Bank, joined West Texas State Bank in 1970.

Mann, a resident of Happy, was associated with banks in both Tulia and Happy before joining the Canyon facility when it opened six years ago.

Hazlewood is a retired state senator with various area interests; Dr. Bryan is Mayor of Canyon and a physician; Cooper is a longtime Canyon resident with varied business interests; Fulton is a member of the Canyon City Commission and operates florist shops in both Canyon and Hereford; and White is a longtime Canyon farmer.

The bank's board, with an average age of 46 years, is exceptionally young, said Levens.

While growing in size and stature, West Texas State Bank has also been keeping abreast with modern banking methods and within weeks is planning to computerize their checking account department. According to Levens, the use of a computer is being made necessary because of the great volume of items now being handled.

"We either have to go to a computerized system or double the size of the building," said Levens. He said because of the high cost of building, the computer was more economical.

"Because of the dynamic growth of our area in the immediate future, I anticipate tremendous growth . . . not only in financial institutions but in the overall economy," Levens said. "Our growth evidences the same confidence in the bank as the bank had in the community."

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Mrs. Hall Speaks To Jowell Club

Pointers on dealing with high-pressure salesmen were given by Mrs. Becky Hall, county extension agent, to members of Jowell Home Demonstration Club meeting Feb. 14 in the home of Mrs. Ervin Davis.

Mrs. Hall said that in dealing with fraud, the best practice is to play safe and investigate before spending large sums of money. One should be courteous to salesmen, but not afraid to say "no" to them. Be cautious about responding to bait advertising, said Mrs. Hall, and look to the quality of merchandising you are buying.

In the business meeting, Mrs. Jimmy Dietz gave the Council report. It was announced that Jowell Club would host the next Council meeting and also would furnish refreshments for LaCasa Canyon Nursing Home.

The next event will be the Farm Bureau supper at 6:30 p.m., Feb. 23, at the Jowell Community Center.

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Cowboys Lose Chance For District

The Happy Cowboys, who downed Lazbuddie 83-22 in the first round Thursday night and lost to Spade Friday night 78-63, were vying for third place in their district tournament Saturday night.

The consolation game, in the tournament hosted by Happy, was between the Cowboys and Amherst, the team that lost Friday night to a strong Cotton Center five. Amherst on Thursday night had moved up by downing Nazareth in a nip-and-tuck 33-32 game.

In taking the first game Thursday night, every member of the Cowboy squad got in on the scoring, with Greg Looney taking top honors with 16 points. He was pushed by Lonnie Tackitt with 15 and by Johnny Payne who tossed in 14.

Other scorers were Tommy Tipps with 10, Chris Pearson with 7, Stuart Tackitt and Don Lee with 6 each, Tim McNeill with 5, and Ronnie Jackson and Brent Morrison with 2 each.

Lynn Morris led Lazbuddie with a total of only six.

At the end of the first quarter, Happy led 12-1, and at halftime the score was 37-7.

In their losing effort in the second round against Spade, the Cowboys reversed their first quarter play and trailed by 20-6. According to coach Gerald Weeks, this bad showing in the first period, plus losing three key players to fouls in the third quarter, was too much to overcome.

Lonnie Tackitt led Happy scoring with 16 points and Payne, with 11, was the only other to hit in double figures. Looney accounted for 8, as did Stuart Tackitt, and Morrison had 5. Pearson, McNeill and Tipps scored 4 each and Lee and Jackson accounted for 1 each.

"It was the first quarter again, we played heads up in the last three," said Weeks. "When Payne, Looney and McNeill fouled out in the third quarter we lost a lot of rebounding power," he added.

The Cowboys also suffered from the big difference in the number of free throws. Spade picked up 24 our of 44, and Happy hit on 6 of 14. "We outhit them from the floor 28-27," said Weeks.

Amherst was beaten by Cotton Center Friday night 42-18 to drop into the consolation game with Happy.

Results of the final action of the tourney will appear in The News on Thursday.

Art Awards Show Winners Announced

A complete but unofficial list of all the winners at the regional Art Awards Contest held in Amarillo recently has been tabulated by school officials.

The students from Canyon who took top honors were:

Chip VanPelt—Three gold keys (etching, ink drawing and pencil drawing); two certificates (ink drawing); and his entire portfolio won regional honors and is to be entered in national contest.

Gary Cox—One gold key (ink drawing); two certificates (ink drawing and water color); and his entire portfolio won regional honors and is to be entered in national contest.

Julie Brantley—Two gold keys (collage of mixed media and silk screen print); won The Hallmark Award with her collage; and her entire portfolio won regional honors and is to be entered in national contest.

Katherine Albers—Two gold keys (silk screen printing and acrylic painting).

Valary Decker—Two gold keys (macrame hanging and macrame purse).

David Keith—One gold key (ceremics).

David Townsend—One gold key (pencil drawing).

John Boone—Two certificates (contour ink drawings).

Gary Hair—Two certificates (collage and acrylic).

Susan Hull—One certificate (etching).

Mary Eggemeyer—One certificate (ink drawing).

Jan Wieck—One certificate (sculpture).

Tarri Bond—One certificate (children's book).

Roy Markham—One certificate (cast bronze).

Tom Grimes—One certificate (hooked hanging).

Buddy Coffman—One certificate (stitching).

Diana Davis—One certificate (mixed media collage).

Stephen McDaniel—One certificate (acrylic).

Debbie Melton—One certificate (macrame purse).

The entries submitted nationally by Gary Cox, Chip VanPelt and Julie Brantley will be judged in New York City and results should be made known within the next several weeks.

Canyon students made an outstanding showing at the regional contest in Amarillo, taking more honors than any other school except Tascosa High School of Amarillo.

The Canyon exhibits were not done expressly for the contest, said art instructor Charlotte Brantley. "They are school class projects with the best selected for entry in the contest."

Buffs To Return Home Thursday

West Texas State University's Buffaloes, after playing four games on the road, return home Thursday to host Louisville's strong Cardinals in a Missouri Valley Conference basketball clash.

It will be the first meeting of the two schools in basketball, but the Cardinals have been a national power for a number of years and are still in contention for the Missouri Valley Conference championship.

The Buffaloes fell in a double overtime game to the University of Texas at Arlington Thursday night to open a two-game road swing. They played at Memphis State Saturday night. Memphis is presently leading the Missouri Valley Conference title race.

In the 87-85 loss to Arlington, the Buffaloes of coach Dennis Walling led by as many as eight points in the first half, but led only 35-33 at halftime. In the second half the Buffaloes built up a nine point lead, but the Mavericks applied an effective full court press and led, 65-63, with seconds to play.

The Buffaloes' Tommy Jordan drove down the lane for a last second shot. He missed that shot, but tipped the ball in at the buzzer to tie the game and send it into the first overtime. The score was tied at 74-74 after the first overtime period.

Jordan scored 30 points to lead the Buffaloes. Jerry Christian added 20 and pulled in 15 rebounds. Reginald Ramey, returning to action after missing four games with a broken finger, had 15 points and nine rebounds. Hector Rodriguez scored 10 points and had a career high 21 rebounds.

The Buffaloes entered the Memphis State game with a 9-12 season record and a 2-6 MVC mark.

Cafeteria Menu

CANYON HIGH AND JUNIOR HIGH

MONDAY, FEB. 19
SCHOOL DISMISSED
TEACHER IN-SERVICE DAY

TUESDAY, FEB. 20
Burritos and Chili
Green Salad
Baked Beans
Pears
Bread, Butter
Milk

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 21
Fried Chicken
Mashed Potatoes/Gravy
Green Beans
Orange Jello
Rolls, Butter
Milk

THURSDAY, FEB. 22
Hamburgers
Lettuce, Tomatoes, Onions
Tater Tots
Pear Halves
Buns, Butter
Chocolate Milk

FRIDAY, FEB. 23
Italian Spaghetti
Blackeyed Peas
Tossed Salad
Fruit Cup
Rolls, Butter
Milk

REX REEVES AND GENE HOWE SCHOOLS
MONDAY, FEB. 19
SCHOOL DISMISSED
TEACHER IN-SERVICE DAY

TUESDAY, FEB. 20
Texas Goulash
Green Pea Salad/Eggs and Cheese
Fruit Cobbler
Bread, Butter
Milk

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 21
Fried Fish/Tartar Sauce
Blackeyed Peas
Buttered Carrots
Apple Sauce
Hot Rolls, Butter
Milk

THURSDAY, FEB. 22
Hamburgers
Lettuce, Tomatoes
Mustard, Pickles
Tater Tots, Onions
Fruit
Buns, Butter
Milk

FRIDAY, FEB. 23
Corn Dogs/Mustard
Buttered Corn
Cole Slaw
Banana Cake
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Boy Eagles End Season, Looking To Next Year

Canyon's boy Eagles, despite a season ending loss to Perryton last Tuesday night, finished with a respectable season record of 14 wins against 16 losses.

While picked to finish next to last in the district, the Eagles put on a strong last-half season showing and came in third.

Coach B. B. Kendrick credited his team with doing a complete reversal during the second half of the season when they won nine and lost only six. In the first half of the season, the Eagles racked up a losing 5-10 mark.

Injuries and illness hurt the Eagles, especially during the middle part of the season. According to Kendrick, the team was not once at full strength between Christmas and the fourth district game played on January 26.

One starter, Bob Counseller, missed much of the season after undergoing foot surgery.

On January 23, the Canyon squad was cut to only six men for a losing trip to Levelland.

Coach Kendrick said the team showed much improvement over the season and "came farther this year and developed better than any team I've ever coached." He added that while he was not pleased with the overall record, he was pleased with the progress made by the players.

The coach said he would have four members of this year's squad back next year and this should be the basis for a good team in 1973-74.

The returnees, all starters, are Bob Counseller, Ed Lair, Wayne Pitt and Andy Cooper. Pitt and Cooper were team scoring leaders and they, along with senior Gary Don Byars, are leading contenders for All-District berths.

Pitt has been mentioned as a possible nominee for All-State honors.

To go with the four returning varsity squadmen, Kendrick is expecting help from junior varsity players and freshmen who will be coming from the junior high school.

This year's freshman crop of hardwood players is considered much better than average. Kendrick termed some of the freshmen as "good prospects." He added that it would "depend on how much they want to play and make the team."

Spring training sessions will be held before school dismisses for the summer and Kendrick said this will give him a chance to look over prospective players. It will also give the other candidates a chance to work out with the varsity players for the first time.

Kendrick released statistics regarding play during the just ended season. They included:

According to statistics released late this week by coach Kendrick, the Eagles scored 1,767 total points as compared to 1,799 scored by opponents. This gave Canyon a game average of 58.9 points as compared to 59.9 for opponents.

In the 30 season games, the Eagles hit 738 field goals out of 1,846 tries for 40 per cent. Their free throw accuracy was at 59 per cent with 291 out of 492 being through the net.

Wayne Pitt led in individual scoring with 529 total points, an average of 17.6 for the season and 22 per game in district play.

Pitt hit 46 per cent of his field shots and 65 per cent of his charity shots.

Next in scoring was Andy Cooper with 362 total points, averaging 12.1 for the season and 13.1 in district games. Cooper's average from the field was 40 per cent and from the free throw line stood at 62 per cent.

Gary Don Byars ranked third in total points scored with 261, a season average of 8.7, and he was 7.9 in the district outings. For averages, Byars hit 42 per cent from the court and 50 per cent from the free throw spot.

Bill Moore was next with 213 points and a season average of 7.9 per game. In district play, Moore hit an average of 7.8 per game. His field goal percentage was 38 and at the foul line he hit 68 per cent to lead the team in accuracy in that department.

Gary Gerber scored 139 points during the season for an average of 4.6 and he was at the 3.6 mark in district play. From the floor he hit 33 per cent of his shots and on free throws was good for 61 per cent.

Ranked sixth in scoring was Ed Lair with 106 points and a season game average of 3.9, but he jumped to 5.6 points per game when the title was at stake. His field shot average was 39 per cent and on free throws he was good for 54 per cent.

Although out much of the season with a foot problem, Bob Counseller tallied 58 points for a season average of 2.6 and he climbed to 3.6 in district action. From the field, he hit 27 per cent and on free throws was accurate 59 per cent of the time.

Bobby Team finished eighth with 38 total points, averaging 1.6 over the season and an even two points in the district. He was at 23 per cent from the field and hit for 53 per cent at the free throw line.

Ronnie Cates came away with 31 points and a per game average of 1.5. In district play, his record was 1.3 points per game. On field shots, Cates hit for 41 per cent and on charity tosses registered 31 per cent.

Raby Ratliff, with 28 points, rounded out the scoring. This gave Ratliff a per-game-average of 1.3 and a district mark of 0.4. He was 38 per cent from the floor and 40 per cent at the foul line.

In district play, the Eagles scored an average of 60.2 points per outing. No comparative opponent's figures on district play were available.

According to the charts, Gary Don Byars led in rebounds with 213. Cooper pulled in 207, Moore 124, Pitt 113, Gerber 95, Team 72, Counseller 67, Lair 55, Cates 45 and Ratliff 16.

For the season, the Eagles racked up 1,007 bounces off the boards for an average of 33.6 per game.

Byars also led his team in number of fouls committed with 86. He was followed by Moore with 85, Gerber with 82, Cooper with 79, Pitt with 50, Lair with 49, Team and Counseller with 34 each, and Cates and Ratliff with 17 each.

A total of 533 fouls were racked up by the Eagles during the course of the season.

Gerber was the busiest Eagle, playing in each of his team's 120 quarters. He was pressed hard by Pitt, who made 119, and by Byars and Cooper who saw action in 118 quarters. Moore was in for 105 quarters, Lair 69, Counseller 67, Cates 52, Team 50 and Ratliff 48.

Pitt led in the number of turnovers with 107. He was well ahead of Gerber who held down second spot with 81. Next were Cooper with 46, Byars with 45, Moore and Lair with 33 each, Team with 20, Counseller with 18, Ratliff with 15 and Cates with 13.

As a team, the Eagles suffered from 411 turnovers during the season, an average of 13.7 per game.

Leading with assists was Gerber with 73, followed by Pitt with 54, Byars with 29, Lair with 24, Counseller with 20, Cooper with 14, Moore with 13, Ratliff with 7, Team with 6 and Cates with 5.

The team recorded 245 assists for the season, an average of 8.2 per game.

During the past 11 seasons, the Eagles have copped district crowns on four occasions, 1963, 1964, 1966 and 1970.

Over that period, the teams best season mark was in 1964 when they won 30 and lost nine. In 1970, the season record was 23 and eight. They were undefeated that year in district play with a record of 10-0. The Eagles were also unbeaten in district action in 1963 when they posted a record of 8-0.

School Board To Discuss Salary, Quarter System

The Canyon School Board Tuesday night is expected to discuss a variety of school affairs in addition to handling normal business matters.

Included on the proposed agenda are plans to discuss recommendation of the Joint Professional Communications Committee concerning the teacher salary schedule for the 1973-74 school year.

It is also expected that the board will appoint an equalization board and alternates for the next school year, and approve the filing of suits against delinquent taxpayers.

Another topic expected to come under board discussion is the proposed changing of Canyon schools to the three quarter system for the coming school year instead of using the old two semester system.

That change is being contemplated due to the possible change in state law that would make such quarter systems mandatory.

According to school officials, the law is not expected to materialize for about two years but Canyon is planning to go ahead with the new system anyway.

The new school calendar submitted for approval some time ago was set up to operate on the quarter system. Schools do not have to wait for the proposed law to be passed, but may instigate the new system now or at any time, officials said this week.

The board is also expected to adjourn into executive session for the purpose of considering the rehiring of professional personnel for the 1973-74 school year.

School board meetings are held at Canyon High School and are scheduled to begin at 7:30 p.m. The public is invited.

City Commission To Talk Bids, Charter Change

The Canyon City Commission, in its regular meeting Monday night, is scheduled to consider bids for seal coating and gasoline, and to discuss an ordinance calling for a change in the city charter.

The possible change in the charter would be to pave the way for the signing of a franchise agreement with Pioneer Natural Gas Co.

The franchise, which expired some time ago, has been the subject of much debate in past commission meetings and, according to one source, the change in the city charter is needed before the empasse can be dissolved.

In other action, the commission is expected to set an election and to name election judges.

Consideration of a plat requested by G. C. Rainwater, and a request by the Presbyterian Church to surrender an alley easement is also anticipated.

The meeting will be held at the Canyon Community Center beginning at 7 p.m.

Buffs Sign 2 For Football

West Texas State University's Buffaloes signed a pair of standout linemen over the weekend to pre-enrollment applications.

The pair are 6-3, 230-pound Tony Edwards, a "blue-chip" tackle from Tulia, and Dallas Samuell's 6-4, 240-pound Dwight Carey.

Edwards was one of the more sought-after high school players in the state. The quick tackle earned second team all-state honors in Class AAA as a junior and after Tulia dropped back into Class AA this past summer, he earned first team all-state honors in that classification.

The Amarillo Globe News named Edwards as the standout defensive lineman in any classification in the Panhandle area and KGNC named him the Class AA player of the year for the Panhandle. Twice he was named by the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal to All-South Plains honors.

A team captain his senior year, Edwards was a two-year all-district selection. He was high on most of the state's blue chip lists and was recruited by all Southwest Conference schools, as well as Oklahoma and Oklahoma State.

Another big, quick man, Carey earned All-District II-AAAA honors two years as a defensive end.

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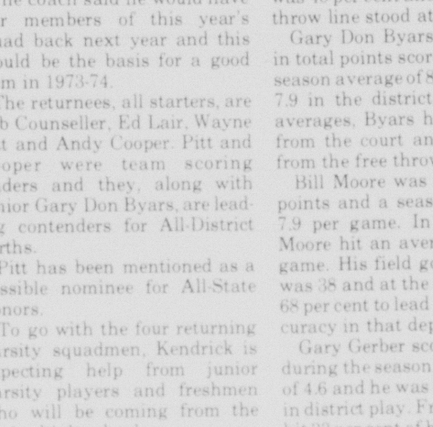

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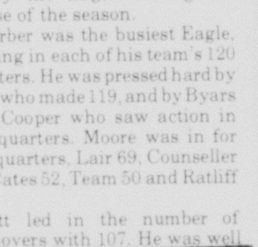

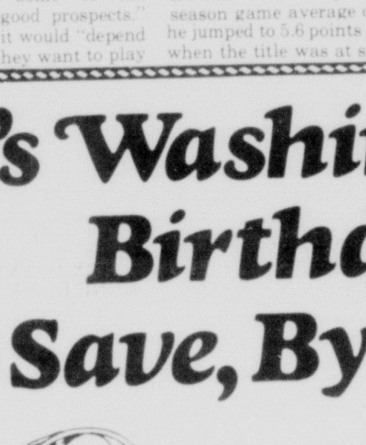

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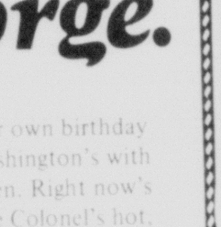

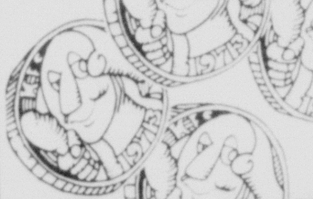

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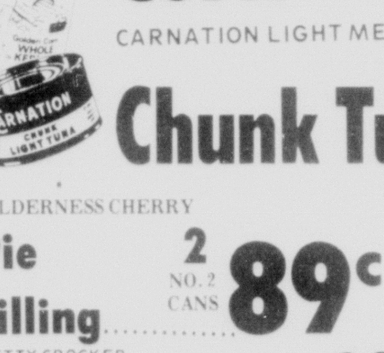

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Mary of Scots On Stage

Lust for power in conflict with sexual passion is the pervading theme of Maxwell Anderson's "Mary of Scotland," scheduled for presentation Feb. 21-25 at West Texas State University.

The play, one of an Anderson "Tudor" trilogy of 16th century historical plays that also includes "Anne of the Thousand Days" and "Elizabeth the Queen," will be presented at 8 p.m. Feb. 21-24 and at 2 p.m. Feb. 25 in the WTSU Branding Iron Theatre.

Direction is under William A. Moore, associate professor of drama. His wife, Margaret Echols Moore, is acting coach, and James Kemmerling, instructor in speech, is technical director and designer.

According to Moore, dramas of Tudor and Stuart history have been enjoying a revival recently. Anderson's "Anne of the Thousand Days" was produced three years ago, with Richard Burton and Canadian actress Genevieve Bujold in the starring roles. "The Six Wives of Henry VIII" and "Vivat, Vivat, Regina" (with Glenda Jackson as Elizabeth I) were recently produced by BBC and presented to American audiences on NBC television.

"Mary of Scotland," like its sister play, "Elizabeth the Queen," is written in blank verse — "a very easy, flowing, unaffected, loose sort of verse." The author, who in several of his plays has sought to revive techniques of Elizabethan drama, once proclaimed that "somebody has to write verse, even if it is written badly."

Cast in the play are Linda Rockwell, Amarillo junior, as Mary Stuart; Sheila O'Keefe, Amarillo freshman, as Elizabeth Tudor; Lynn Mathis, Amarillo freshman, as John Knox, and Dr. William Laur, Amarillo graduate student, as Lord Burghley.

Also cast in the play are Steve Stone, Friona freshman; Jerry Moore, Clarendon senior; Gary Day, Dalhart freshman; Don Washburn, Amarillo freshman; Valerie McCarthy, Englewood (Colo.) sophomore; Kim Durden, Canyon sophomore; Nora Wade, Amarillo freshman; Marla Rupp, Amarillo freshman; Ron Williams, Amarillo sophomore; Randy Clements, Hereford freshman; Rene Clemente, El Paso senior; Billy Black, El Paso sophomore; Dwight Smith, Shamrock freshman; Travis Dean, Amarillo sophomore; Matt Ohmes, Perryton freshman; and Doug Stewart, Amarillo freshman.

Tickets for the production, priced at $1.50 for adults and $1 for non-WTSU students, are now on sale in the BIT box office. WTSU students with ID cards may pick up tickets without charge.

Alvin Oscar Friemel

Friemel Service Held Saturday

Requiem Mass was said Saturday morning at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Umbarger for Alvin Oscar Friemel, 49, who died Wednesday afternoon in Neblett Memorial Hospital.

Mr. Friemel, a native of Hereford and a longtime resident of Umbarger, had entered the hospital on Monday.

Officiating were the Rt. Rev. Msgr. Matthew Schaffle, pastor of the church, and Rev. Jack Gist, pastor of St. Ann's Catholic Church of Canyon.

Rosary was held Friday evening at LaGrone Funeral Chapel, recited by Rev. Gist.

Burial was in St. Mary's Cemetery at Umbarger under direction of LaGrone's.

Mr. Friemel, who moved to Umbarger from Hereford 35 years ago, was engaged in farming and cattle. He was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church, the Knights of Columbus, the Farm Bureau and the Farmer's Union, and was a veteran of World War II during which he received the Purple Heart.

On April 26, 1944, Mr. Friemel married Margaret Beckman at Umbarger.

Survivors include the wife of the home; one son, Wayne of the home; two daughters, Mrs. Stephen Haeberle of Sacramento, Calif., and Cynthia of the home; two sisters, Mrs. Elsie Batenhorst of Umbarger and Mrs. Marie Weaver of Borger; one brother, Vincent of Umbarger, and 1 grandchild.

Pallbearers included Carl Hartman, Denis Brandt, Lewis Tucek, R.L. Tompkins, Raymond Batenhorst and A.R. Friemel.

Roberts Service Held Friday

Funeral services for Norman William Roberts, 76, of 1805 7th Ave., were held Friday afternoon at the First Christian Church of Canyon.

Officiating were Rev. Ivan Adams, pastor, and Dr. Joe Findley, former pastor of the church.

Burial was in Dreamland Cemetery under direction of LaGrone's Funeral Chapel.

Mr. Roberts, a native of Tennessee and a carpenter, died Wednesday morning at Neblett Memorial Hospital.

The Canyon girl Eagles, who gained the 1-AAA district title last week with back-to-back wins over Muleshoe, took their 28-5 record to Sweetwater Saturday night for a regional battle with Stephenville. Members of the team are, front row, Becky Blewett, Valary Decker, Debbie Abbott, Alisha Nelson, Pebbie Luquette, Lynn Davis, Diane Harp, Cindy Bullock and Mary Lou Ritchie. Back row, Nancy Towery, Carla Swatzell, Cheryl Adams, Carla Ratliff, Rhonda Umberson, Susan Hull, Mendy Sternenberg, Sheryl Gunter, Kim Killingsworth, Judy McBroom and Ann Dooley.

Knowles. . .

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Knowles reached a height of controversy when he outspokenly criticized the Texas Highway Commission determination that Interstate 27 should take an eastern route around Canyon.

Knowles spoke out for a western route around the city, and although the commission holds to its original plan, Knowles feels he did the right thing.

"We got people thinking even if we didn't get it," Knowles said. "Maybe people will wake up next time when something happens and we can succeed in something when we all get together."

Even though his term of office as a director ended Jan. 1, Knowles is still active in chamber activities.

Throughout the fall, he worked with the chamber in support of the possible redesignation of U.S. 60 as a part of the national interstate highway system.

Two weeks ago, he traveled with a Canyon delegation to Roswell, N.M., for a meeting on the U.S. 60 redesignation.

Behind the scenes during his tenure with the chamber, Knowles also worked to attract industry to Canyon. He traveled to all parts of the state contacting potential industries to locate here.

Knowles is satisfied with his work on the Chamber.

"I definitely feel the town is more unified now," he said.

He said the spirit of the town is reflected in the number of new businesses which have located in Canyon during the past year.

For the future, Knowles said he will continue to work with the Chamber.

"There are a lot of younger guys with new ideas," he said. "I look for them to move the chamber forward at a tremendous pace."

Few ASCS Offices Due Closing

Only two or three Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service offices in the Panhandle area will be merged or closed, U.S. Rep. Bob Price said last week.

Price, in a news release at midweek, said indications from the U.S. Department of Agriculture are that only a small number of ASCS offices in the 13th Congressional District will be closed or merged with other offices.

Lloyd said at that time he had no official word on the mergers.

He said he was told that state ASCS officials plan to cut the number of offices from a current level of 250 to less than 100 by July 1975.

County ASCS offices are the funnelling agency for federal farm programs, which are administered under the guidance of an elected county committee.

In his press release, Price said no county ASCS offices will be closed in this district prior to July 1, 1973.

"I have visited at some length with officials of the U.S. Department of Agriculture and ASCS offices in the district," he said. "I have been assured that no county offices of ASCS will be closed prior to July 1 of this year."

Price's release says several area newspapers in his district had reported that mergers of offices are pending before the end of 1974.

"Articles have been published which are at this time misleading and it would appear many people are accepting speculation for fact," he said. "Officials of ASCS reported to me this morning that no determination on the criteria which will be used in selection of those offices to be closed has been established, nor have they reached a final decision on factors to be used in determining which offices will be merged.

"I was told after the criteria had been established the state committee and executive personnel of ASCS will be consulted before a final decision is made on which county offices will be closed."

Price said USDA officials indicated most ASCS offices which will be closed are in the far Northwest or Eastern sections of the nation where most USDA programs are related to the now-defunct Rural Environmental Assistance Program.

Once an office is closed, Price said, the county committee in affected counties will be instrumental in the selection of those county office employees who will be transferred to the combined office.

"I will release the names of those counties which will be forced to close their ASCS offices as soon as names are available," he said, "but I expect it will be at least early April before the decision is reached."

Depository. . .

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in handling county funds.

Pond met Thursday morning with First National President Don Max Vars and West Texas State Bank President David Levens to discuss the depository question.

Commissioners are expected to either choose a depository or reject both bids during their regularly scheduled meeting Monday afternoon.

Other action is expected on supplies for the tax office, and an attorney general ruling on homestead exemptions for persons over 65 years of age.

Sports. . .

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pointed to recent uprisings among major league baseball players.

"The real issue is not pension funds," he said. "It's a simple fact that the ball player today does not want to be owned by somebody else."

At the college level, Jackson said the money men have worked their way into collegiate athletics.

The grant-in-aid for college athletes "isn't amateurism," he said.

Jackson attacked the U.S. Olympic Committee.

"This is a serious thing to me and it's also serious for you because this is this country's international image in a most dramatic sense," he said.

He said when touring foreign teams, such as the Russian basketball team, come to this country, they should be allowed to play schools like UCLA, Louisville and others.

Instead, they play teams which are not representative of the best players in America and the U.S. world image suffers.

"The U.S. Olympic Committee is still an institution to perpetuate fat old men who like to travel," he charged, pointing to various examples of incompetence he witnessed at the 1972 Olympics in Munich.

The gross inequities which appear in some sports activities, from the grade-school level to the professional level can stifle the competitive spirit, Jackson warned.

"Look deeper in sport and if you can help it, help it," he said. "The basic part of this country is the willingness to be a competitor."

During his speech, Jackson told the audience that one-half his fee for speaking will be returned to the Canyon Chamber of Commerce to form a scholarship fund for an area student.

Jackson was presented with a branding iron with his initials by Chamber President Raymond Raillard.

In other action Thursday, Joe Gidden, who heads the Panhandle Heritage Foundation, was named Hustler of the Year by the Chamber.

Visitors were welcomed from several towns in the Panhandle, including Amarillo, Tulia, Hereford, Friona and Roswell, N.M.

Pot. . .

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of the bill in the legislature leaves prosecutors in a precarious position.

"We're confronted with the fact that to try and convict someone for possession of marijuana, whether the defendant gets probation or a prison sentence, would be pointless and a waste of money for at least the next three months," he said.

Currently, three cases involving possession of marijuana are set for trial on Feb. 26.

Former Resident Died Recently

Mrs. Esther Rudolph Ritchie, 77, a former Canyon resident, died recently in San Antonio.

Funeral services were held Feb. 7.

A native of Hartley, Mrs. Ritchie grew up in Stratford. She received her bachelor's degree from West Texas State University and her master's degree from the University of Michigan. She taught school in Canyon many years and in the Rio Grande Valley and at Phillips.

She married George B. Ritchie in 1943. He preceded her in death in August, 1971.

The Ritchies moved to San Antonio from Canyon in 1971 to enter the Woodlawn Hills Nursing Home.

Mrs. Ritchie is survived by a brother, Clare M. Rudolph of Bradenton, Fla., five stepchildren and a niece and nephew.

Dollar Devaluation To Have Little Effect

Devaluation of the dollar, announced recently in Washington, will have little effect on Canyon residents, according to a West Texas State University economist who predicted another international money crisis will occur within the year.

Dr. Sam Keeley, assistant professor of economics, said unless Canyon residents purchase foreign-made goods, their pocketbooks will not suffer from devaluation of the dollar.

Washington officials announced the devaluation of the dollar by 10 per cent last week. It was the second devaluation in two years.

Keeley said a 10 per cent hike in prices on foreign-made imported goods can be expected.

"I heard on the news today that Volkswagen has announced its prices will be increased," Keeley said. "It'll be a 10 per cent increase unless Volkswagen Company absorbs part of that loss."

Kelley said imported goods from Japan and Germany could actually cost Americans more than 10 per cent additional, since currencies from those countries have not agreed upon fixed rate.

"In terms of affecting you and I, it will not to the extent that we don't buy foreign goods," he said. "Your cost of living will not change."

In the agriculture market, through which the Panhandle area has seen a tremendous boon in export possibilities, Keeley said the devaluation could actually increase the number of cattle sold to foreign countries.

He noted that since the purpose of devaluation is to curb importation of foreign goods and boost export goods, the lower exchange rate for foreign countries could spur them to buy more American agricultural products.

"It could have the positive result of helping the American producer because foreign countries may want more," he said.

Keeley labeled the government's efforts at devaluation of the dollar as a "very minor stop-gap measure to alleviate the international pressures temporarily."

"Within a year we're sure to have another major international monetary crisis."

Keeley said the devaluation just doesn't halt the primary cause of the international crises revolving around the dollar and its value.

That primary cause is a surplus of dollars in Europe and the free world, a surplus which Keeley says the U.S. government isn't too worried about.

"Except for devaluation, our government will do nothing about it," he said.

Keeley said the great surplus of dollars in the international market is due to a huge and growing balance of payments deficit. The U.S. government has decided that the price is too high to pay to bring the balance of payment deficit into balance, he said, because to do so would lead to unemployment and possibly depression.

Phone. . .

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City Attorney Cox who said he had not had time to adequately study the problem, nevertheless, made the following statement:

"A representative of Southwestern Bell told me it is their feeling that because the city commission in 1966 requested to become a part of the Amarillo system it gave up the right to set and regulate rates for the telephone company in this city. I feel that if we want to get off the Amarillo system we could do so by giving notice to the phone company and change it back.

"On the other hand, there is some law I haven't thoroughly briefed which provides that a city may not by contract surrender the governmental power to fix utility rates."

New monthly rates filed Friday by the phone company are:

Business one-party service, $13.50 to $15.

Residence one-party service, $5.75 to $6.60.

Residence two-party service, $4.50.

Patrick said the differential as set up in the original agreement, is $1.50 for business one-party, $1 for residential, and 25 cents for residential two-party.

The telephone company manager said prior to the initiation of extended area service in 1968, all calls between Amarillo and Canyon were billed on an individual long-distance basis.

"Current telephone company studied show an average of approximately 3000 calls per day from Canyon to Amarillo," he said. "Naturally, when each call was long distance, the number of calls was much less. The greatly increased usage indicates how valuable this service is to the residents of Canyon."

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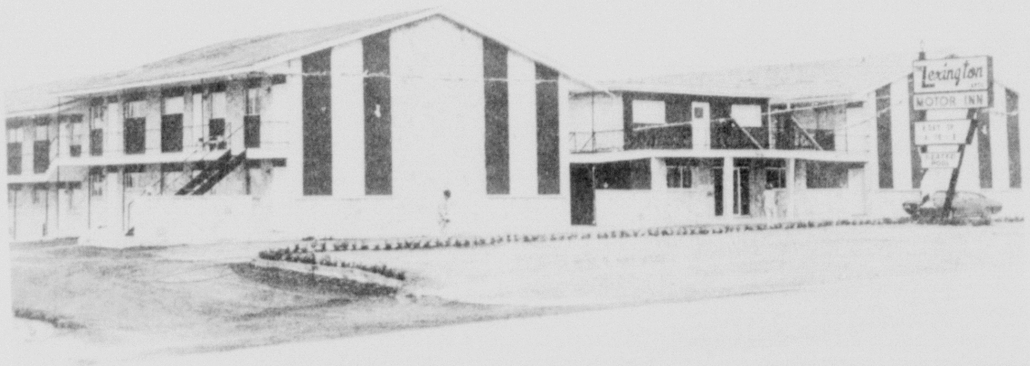

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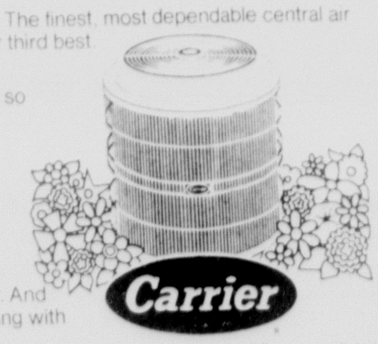

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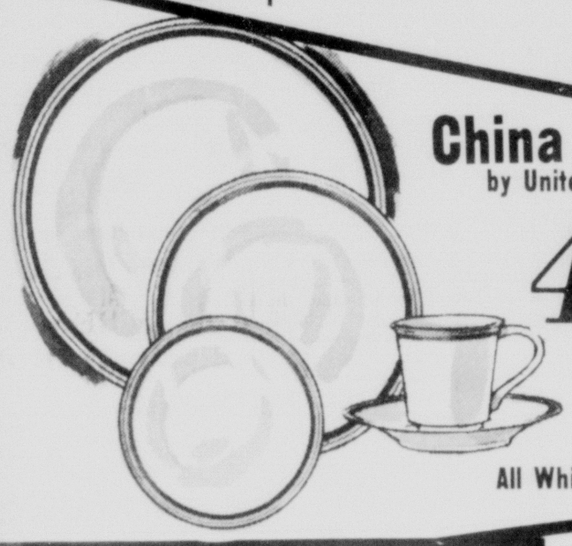

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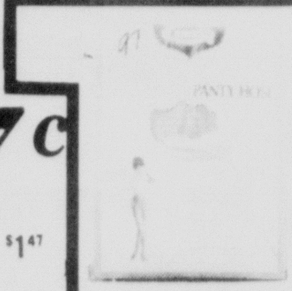

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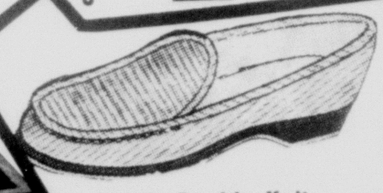

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Mrs. Laycock Has Watched Wives, Etc., Sprout And Grow

Mrs. Kenneth Laycock is pictured in her home at 704 Taylor Lane with daughter Laura, 12, and son Keith, 15. She is nearing the end of a busy year as president of University Wives, Etc., a social group for women connected with West Texas State University.

Since University Wives, Etc., was organized three years ago it has grown to a current membership of about 125 women who enjoy doing things together. They not only go in for the standard bridge games, coffees and luncheons, but plunge zestfully into more vigorous pastimes such as bicycling, family skating parties, gourmet cooking and the like.

No one is happier about the whole picture than this year's president, Mrs. Janet Laycock. "Our purpose has been to be inclusive, rather than exclusive," she explained. "And for that reason we welcome just about all women who are connected with the university. We've been especially glad to see some of the retired people join our group."

Recalling how University Wives, Etc. got started about three years ago, Mrs. Laycock said, "That year there were about 50 new people joining the faculty or staff. It was difficult to meet all of them and we needed some kind of organization with a common interest. So a number of us started the group with Mrs. Wallace Johnston as president. We helped the new people find places to live, baby sitters, and that kind of thing."

But Janet Laycock had a special reason of her own for wanting to see such an organization get started. "I was from this part of the country, reared in Shamrock, and I loved it. But I knew that people moving in from other parts of the country did not always see the beauty of the area or get to know the community. I thought such an organization would help them appreciate the beauty of the Panhandle and adjust to the town."

On both sides of their family, Dr. and Mrs. Kenneth Laycock have grandparents who settled in the area as far back as the last two decades of the 1800's. Part of her family treasures are books written about Texas by her grandmother and aunt. One of them is "Memory Cups," a history of Wheeler county, written by her grandmother, Millie Jones Porter, who was "school mistress" of one of the first brick schoolhouses in that county. Another is "Generation Unto Generation," a history book of this area, by Fayth Sone, the pen name of her great aunt, Leann Jones Harvey.

Also, a prized heirloom is a scholarship pin presented to her grandmother during her college days. As the first granddaughter who graduated from the University of Texas, Janet Laycock received it with a note from her grandmother, "I am gladly giving you one of my prized possessions."

Janet tells how, after graduating from the University of Texas with a degree in clothing and textiles, she had "visions of a career in fashion and merchandising in New York City." But her father insisted she come home and teach one year. "So I interned one year in teaching and liked it so much I stayed on and taught in Shamrock for five years." She met and married her husband, Kenneth Laycock, who was first a teacher and then superintendent of schools there.

After several years the Laycocks went to the University of Texas where he worked on his doctoral degree. "It was really a delightful time for us. Many of our friends here at West Texas were down there. We all worked and starved together," she recalled. From Austin, the Laycocks went to Levelland where Dr. Laycock served as superintendent of schools for three years. His work then brought them to Canyon, to set up the first PESO Center and serve in various positions, including his present one of Vice-President for Planning and Development at WTSU.

Since moving to Canyon about eight years ago, Mrs. Laycock has given most of her time to caring for her home and two children, son Keith, now 15, and daughter Laura, 12, and involving herself in church and club work. She has been active in the women's organization of the Methodist Church, serving as treasurer for the past three years. Because her family instilled an interest in history, she maintains membership in the Daughters of the American Revolution. Mrs. Laycock also works actively in the University Study Club, having served as vice-president. She is now looking forward to working with the new Museum auxiliary. "I am always saying yes, when I should say no," she wryly commented.

Janet confesses she has little time now for personal hobbies, such as the china and tole painting she used to do. It was an art mastered by her mother who passed on several uncompleted pieces, inspiring her to learn the technique from a friend, Mrs. Sarah Thompson.

The Laycock family enjoys traveling and sightseeing, and they have visited such far-flung spots as Oregon, New England, Washington, D. C., and the Bahamas. Their journeys are recorded in Laura's doll collection. "Everywhere we go, we usually acquire a doll. Ken brought her back one from Russia, and her grandmother gave her several from the Scandinavian countries."

Mrs. Laycock drops in from time to time on University Wives' interest groups. She herself belongs to the Luncheon group. As a gift to Canyon News readers, she shares this recipe served at the Feb. 9 luncheon where she was one of the hostesses. It was accompanied by fruit salad with poppy-seed dressing and Harvard beets.

Chicken Divan

2 12-oz. pkgs. frozen broccoli (spears)
2 C. sliced cooked chicken
2 Cans cream of chicken soup
2/3 C. mayonnaise
1 tsp. lemon juice
½ tsp. curry
½ C. shredded sharp cheese
½ C. bread crumbs
1 Tbsp. margarine, melted

Cook broccoli until tender, and drain. Arrange on bottom of greased casserole. Put chicken on top.

Combine soup, mayonnaise, lemon juice, and curry. Pour over broccoli and chicken. Sprinkle with cheese. Top with crumbs and butter.

Bake 350° for 30 min., until bubbly.

News Brief

A natural foods seminar, sponsored by the West Texas State University Student Activities Council, is planned for the next two Monday evenings.

The informal lecture-demonstration will be led by Frank Ford of Arrowhead Mills, Hereford.

Sessions are set from 7-9 p.m. in room 216 of the Activities Center on campus.

Arrowhead Mills is one of the largest distributors of organic food in the world.

University Wives, Etc. Previews Coming Events

University Wives, Etc., has announced plans for their general meetings as well as for nearly a dozen interest groups to provide stimulating activities for the balance of the school year.

Getting members in a vacation mood will be a "Hawaiian Holiday" program tomorrow night at 7 p.m. in the Episcopal University Center. Gwen McCulley of World Wide Travel, Amarillo, will show slides on Hawaii and give out information on Mexico and Europe as well. A committee headed by Mrs. Sandra Sparling will provide refreshments and decor to carry out the theme.

On March 31 a noon Spring Fashion Show and Luncheon at the Yum Yum Tree Restaurant will feature an array of warm-weather fashions with commentary by Mr. Munday of Sakowitz, Amarillo. This event is being chaired by Mrs. Lorene Olson, and tickets may be obtained from her or members of her committee: Mmes. Imogene Crossland, Margaret Kelso, Mary Truitt, and Lynn Guy.

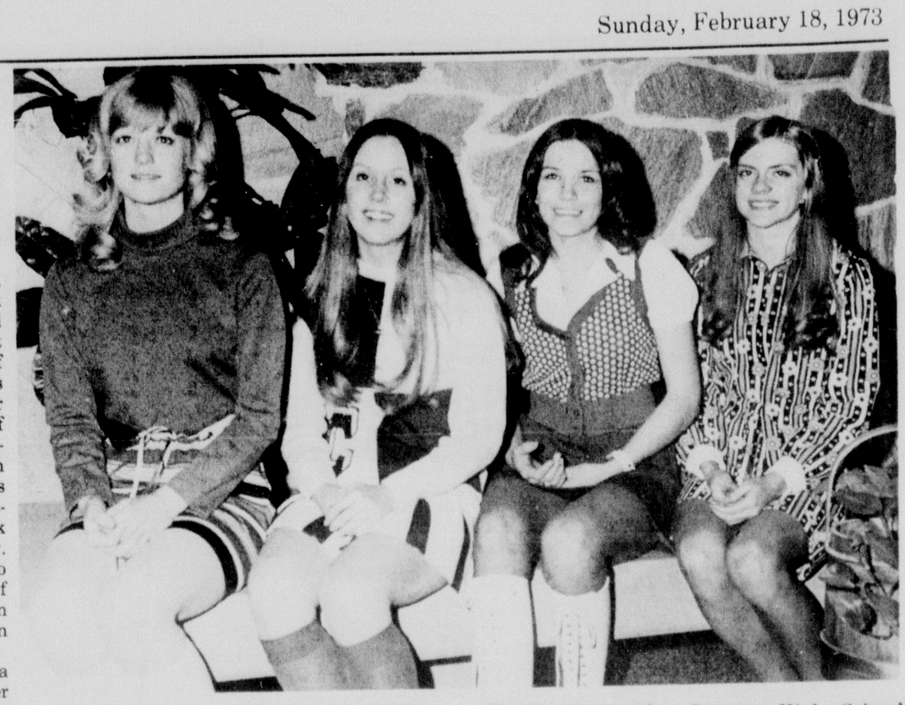
The next star attraction on University Wives' calendar will be a gala "first nighter" for faculty at the opening of "Carnival," the spring musical at West Texas State University. The time will be 8 p.m., April 4. Refreshments will be served by Alpha Psi Omega speech fraternity with proceeds going to their scholarship fund.

An "End of the Year Coffee" with this year's president, Mrs. Janet Laycock, 704 Taylor Lane, will be the last large social event of the year, scheduled for 10 a.m., April 28. Hostesses will be the new officers for 1973-74.

Winding up activities for the year will be a special art demonstration by Dr. Emil Caballero at 10 a.m., May 9, in the Fine Arts Building. It has been arranged by Mrs. Ann Carlisle, chairman of the Art Interest Group.

The Art Interest Group is but one of about ten interest groups that have provided fun and recreation this year for the approximately 125 faculty wives, staff members and retirees of WTSU who make up University Wives, Etc., membership.

Other interest groups and their chairmen are Family Activity, with co-chairmen Mrs. Sandy Sparling and Mrs. Carolyn Nelson; Koffee Klatsch, with Mrs. Jane Stephens, chairman; Morning Bridge, with Mrs. Jan Welch, chairman; Afternoon Bridge, with Mrs. Shirley Petersen, chairman; Evening Bridge, with Mrs. Mildred Cannon, chairman; Community Awareness, with Mrs. Marguerite Luquette, chairman; Gourmet, with Mrs. Margaret Underwood, chairman; Home Demonstration, with Mrs. Claudine Lehman, chairman; Knitting, with Mrs. Joan Carlson, chairman; Luncheon, with Mrs. Rosalind Johnston, chairman; and Swimming, with Mrs. Andrea Green, chairman. During warm months a Bicycling group, with Mrs. Delores Cole as chairman, and a Tennis group, with Mrs. Annie McLaughlin as chairman, have or will be active.



Donna Stark, Tracie Erwin, Carolyn Sloan, and Diana Wilhite are four attractive entrants in the Miss Canyon Pageant coming up March 10 in the Canyon High School Auditorium. Canyon Study Club is sponsoring the event.

DZ Actives Host Valentine Party

The West Texas State University chapter of Delta Zeta hosted a Valentine Tea for the Canyon alumnae chapter on Wednesday, Feb. 14, at the Canyon Community Center. About 75 girls and women attended.

Thirteen new spring pledges and fourteen initiates were introduced to the alumnae at the tea. The group sang songs and visited with those present. At the close of the tea, a carnation centerpiece was presented to Mrs. Don Olson on behalf of the new pledges and initiates.

Officers for the group include Paula Leon, president, Petersburg; Patty Powell, Tulia, and Becky Slate, Pampa, rush chairmen; De Anne Shad, pledge trainer, Gruver; Robbie Ramsey, Canyon, recording secretary; Gay Miller, assistant pledge trainer, Floydada; Anne Stringfellow, corresponding secretary, Andrews; Carol Olson, treasurer, Texline; Nancy Brandt, historian, Amarillo; Connie Brazzil, activities chairman, Canyon; Vicki Vaughn, assistant activities chairman, Tulia; Troy Ann Perkins, standards chairman, Amarillo; Myrna Bartley, publicity chairman, Tahoka; Amy Dozier, scholarship chairman, Abilene; Terry Toark, philanthropy chairman, Vega; Lily Koesjan, song leader, Amarillo; Paige Miller, education chairman, Amarillo; Betty Davis, social chairman, Goldwater; Patti Short, Tahoka, and Patti Klaus, Odessa, Panhellenic chairmen; Rhonda Bond, Big Sis and Little Sis coordinator, Andrews; and Jill Simmons, courtesy chairman, Andrews.

News Brief

The Canyon High School Office Education Association (O.E.A.), held a Valentine party at the Presbyterian Children's Home Wednesday, entertaining children ages 4 to 9.

The school presently is caring for about 50 children ranging in age from 4 to 19.

O.E.A. members served punch and cup cakes and presented the children with Valentine favors. Said one member, "They seemed so happy when they played games and sang. They appreciated any love shown them, no matter how small."

According to a class spokesman, the party was a rewarding and fullfilling experience for both the children and the O.E.A. members.

The children at the home include orphans but most come from broken homes or are there for various reasons, the spokesman said.

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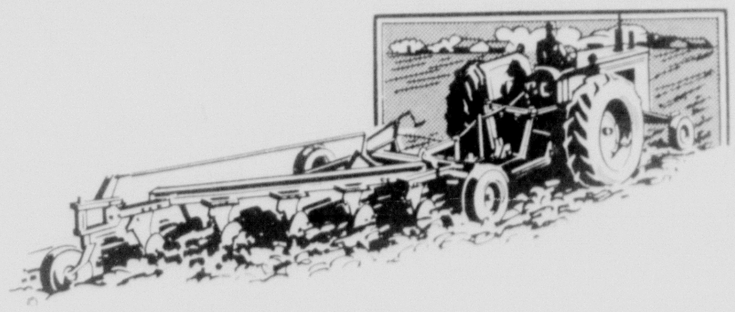

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Mrs. W.J. Wooten, president of Chi Omega Alumnae, serves Dr. Ples Harper at the group's Faculty Coffee held Wednesday morning in the University Complex South. Miss Kathleen McCaskill, a WT active, greeted guests. Not shown are alumnae hostesses, Mrs. Bob Lindsey, chairman, Mrs. James M. White, and Mrs. Charles Nester.

Sorority Has Nature Program

The home of Mrs. Dick Scott, 507 12th Ave., was the setting for the Feb. 12 meeting of Alpha Theta Delta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi, with Mrs. Ray Grimes, president, presiding.

The Social Committee reported on the Beta Sigma Phi Valentine Coronation Dinner held February 10, at the Yum Yum Tree when the Chapter Sweetheart, Mrs. James Hill, and Princess, Mrs. Mike Lewis, were crowned at the coronation ceremony.

Plans for Spring Rush were also discussed.

Following the regular business meeting, Mrs. Kenny Conway began the program, "Nature's Landscape," by asking members to give a brief description of the loveliest landscapes they have known. Mrs. Conway then told of the five most beautiful aspects of nature, which included lakes, mountains, trees, flowers, and canyons, pointing out the Panhandle's own lovely Palo Duro Canyon. Her presentation was complemented with beautiful scenic pictures and with excerpts from Thoreau's WALDEN'S POND and Kahil Gibran's THE PROPHET.

Members present were Mrs. Kenny Conway, Mrs. Grimes, Mrs. James Hill, Mrs. Steve Hines, Mrs. Mike Lewis, Mrs. Dick Maxwell, Mrs. Scott, and Mrs. Paul Stevenson. The chapter advisors, Mrs. Herbert Kuhlman and Mrs. Johnny Robinson were also present.

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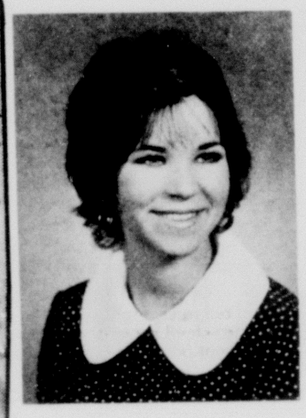


Miss San Westfall

Sewing Club Has Valentine Party

The Friendship Sewing Club met Thursday afternoon, Feb. 15, in the home of Mrs. Clarence Winters, south of Canyon.

The meeting began with Mrs. O. E. Sherer leading members in the club song. Roll call was answered with Bible scripture on love. The program centered on valentines, with each member contributing a poem or thought. Mrs. Leonard Winters conducted a game along the valentine theme. Members exchanged valentines they had made, as well as secret pal gifts.

The table was decorated in a valentine theme, and individual valentine cakes were served.

Guests were Mrs. Richard Winters, Wildorado, Mrs. Fred Winters, Amarillo, and Mrs. Bob Winters. Members present were Mrs. Reed Beavers, Mrs. O. E. Sherer, Mrs. Virgil Knight, Mrs. Herrick Simon, Mrs. C. T. Burch, and Mrs. Frank Simon, Mrs. Leonard Winters, Mrs. Ann Miller, Mrs. Charlie Winters, and Mrs. Joe Turpin.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Ann Miller, 1406 W. 9th St., Amarillo. Members are to bring cookies for the Amarillo Speech and Hearing Center.

Chi Omega Alums Honor Actives

Chi Omega Alumnae honored actives at West Texas State University with a salad supper on Thursday evening, Feb. 8, in the Canyon Community Center.

In a brief business meeting plans were discussed for helping with the Cancer Drive coming up in April. Members were also reminded of the Faculty Coffee held Wednesday, Feb. 14, in the University Complex South.

Chi Omega colors of red and gold were carried out in floral arrangements for the tables. Hostesses were Mrs. Bill Sternenberg, chairman, Mrs. A.B. Hunsley, Mrs. Frank Kimbrough, and Mrs. Don Sheets.

Chi Upsilon Plans Rush

The home of Mrs. Johnnette Clements, 1209 9th Ave., was the setting for a meeting of Chi Upsilon Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi on Wednesday evening, Feb. 7.

In a business meeting conducted by Mrs. Marj Sharp, plans for Spring Rush were discussed. Mrs. Shirley Stevens and the membership committee were placed in charge of new pledges and arrangements for rush.

Mrs. Clements led a group discussion of "Art" for the program.

Other members present were Sue Michael, Monita Benham, Nell Sims, Marion Thompson, Gayle Ninemire, Anne Cornelius, Juanita Johnston, and Liz Thompson.

The chapter will next meet in the home of Ernestine Costley on Feb. 21, at 7:30 p.m.

Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Westfall, 508 Holman Lane, have announced the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, San Westfall, to Joe Francis, the son of Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Francis of Kress, Texas.

The wedding ceremony will take place at 6 p.m. on March 31 in the Joseph A. Hill Memorial Chapel on the campus of West Texas State University.

Miss Westfall is a graduate of Canyon High School and attended West Texas State University. Her fiance, a graduate of Kress High School, also attended WTSU. He is a member of Phi Delta Theta fraternity.

Mrs. Weeks Hosts Phebian Class

"Woman and Her Place in the World and in the Bible" was the program presented by Mrs. R.A. Smith to Phebian Bible Study Class when it met recently in the home of Mrs. Ed Weeks. Mrs. B.E. Ricketts was co-hostess.

Mrs. Ed Reynolds, president, opened the meeting, and Mrs. Earl J. Davis gave the prayer. Mrs. T.B. Cox gave the devotional.

Refreshments were served to Mmes. R.A. Smith, R.B. Cox, Earl J. Davis, Ed Reynolds, H.M. Stokes, W.R. Crow, Leonard Winters, Elmer Marshall, Lee Allen, Carl Hartman, Tom Knighton, A.K. Goodman, Carl Hair, and Miss Ona Mae McMurray.

The class will again meet in the home of Mrs. H.M. Stokes on March 8.

ADPi Salad Supper Given For Alumnae

Alpha Delta Pi Alumnae gave their Annual Salad Supper for the collegiate chapter on Thursday, Feb. 15, at the Activities Center.

Hostesses were Mrs. Sam Weaver, Mrs. F. M. Blackburn, and Mrs. Dale Newman. The actives thanked the alumnae by singing favorite songs.

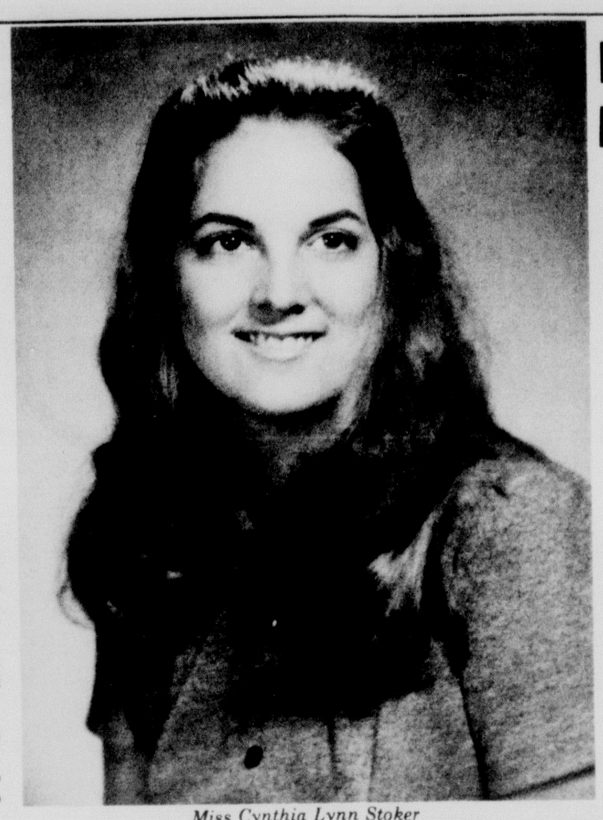
In a business meeting which followed the supper, new officers were elected. They are Mrs. Ken Olsen, president; Mrs. Jerry Criswell, vice-president; Mrs. Gary Fletcher, secretary; Mrs. Willie McAlpin; Mrs. Katie Chitwood, treasurer; Mrs. Tom Cannon, reporter-historian; and Mrs. Bess Brillhart, Canyon recommendation chairman. Installation of officers will be March 15.

The alumnae group will next meet in the home of Mrs. Larry Brandon, 1102 Creekmere, on April 10.

Brazzil Will Talk On Landscaping

The County Extension Service will present a Home Landscape Program in the Farm Bureau Building on Tuesday, Feb. 20, at 1:30 p.m. All interested persons in the area are invited to attend.

John Brazzil, county extension agent, will discuss adapted home orchards and vegetables, covering such areas as varieties, cultural practices, and fertilizers.



Miss Cynthia Lynn Stoker

Becky Blewett Will Head "Les Amies"

"Les Amies" is the name chosen by girls for their new juniorette club in a meeting held Tuesday, Feb. 13, in the hospitality room of the First National Bank.

A slate of officers headed by Becky Blewett as president was also elected at the meeting. Other officers are Mary Lisa McBride, vice-president; Jerri Lou Carruth, secretary; Christi Prichard, treasurer; Debbie Taylor, reporter; Cindy Fowlkes, program chairman; and Sue Green, yearbook chairman.

A committee headed by Mackie Williams will draw up tentative by-laws to be voted on at the next meeting on Feb. 27. Time and place of the meeting will be given later. However, in Tuesday's meeting it was decided to make the third Monday of the month the regular time of meeting.

About 35 girls are now on the membership roll, according to Canyon Study Club sponsors, Mrs. Don Dolle and Mrs. Don Max Vars.

Miss Cynthia Stoker Announced Betrothal

The engagement and approaching marriage of Cynthia Lynn Stoker to James Ellwood Thompson, Jr., of Houston, have been announced by her parents, Dr. and Mrs. W.M. Stoker, 2614 9th Ave.

The prospective bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Thompson of Pittsburgh, Penn.

The wedding ceremony will take place May 12 in the First Presbyterian Church of Canyon.

Miss Stoker is a 1970 graduate of Canyon High School. She is presently a senior at Texas Tech University, where she is a student senator and member of Chi Omega social sorority. She majors in political science and French.

Her fiance is a 1970 graduate of the University of Pittsburgh with a B.S. degree in Petroleum Engineering. While there, he was a member of the Pitt Tennis Team and Engineering Cabinet. He is currently employed by INEXCO, an oil company in Houston.

Bill Giddens Are Recent Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gidden recently visited their children in the Amarillo area. Mr. Gidden was raised in Canyon, and the Giddens were married 27 years ago in the city. He is now employed by I.B.M. in Boulder, Colo.

The Giddens have visited much of the United States, two foreign countries, and have been invited to visit LaPaz, Bolivia, in December.

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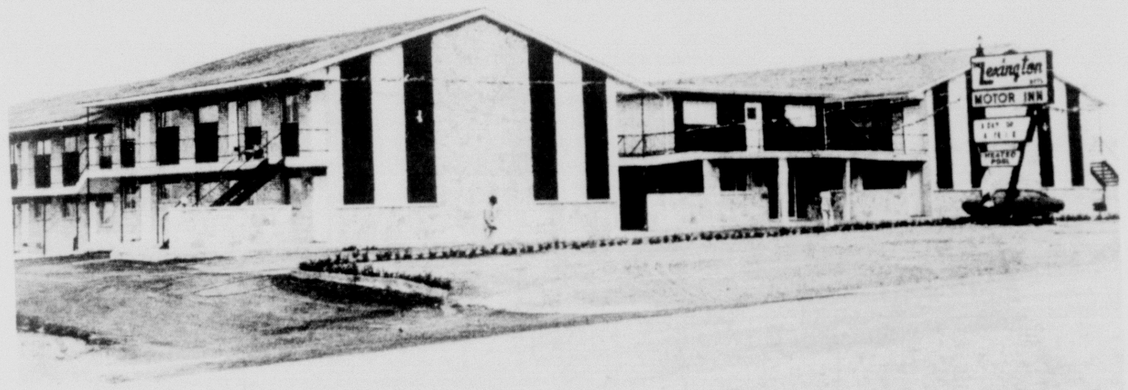

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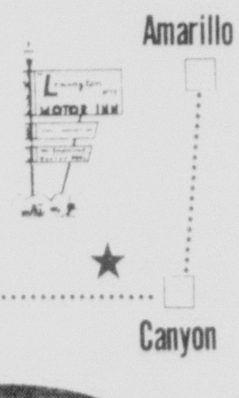

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